

**DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**

In Re Application: Roni Even, Sigal and Gavish and Itay Yad-Shalom

Attorney's Docket No. 6544.107870 (ACC3)

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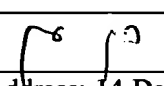
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**STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS**  
**(37 CFR 1.9(f) & 1.27(c)) SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN**

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6544.099642 (ACC3)

Applicant, Patentee, or Identifier: Even et al.

Application or Patent No.: Not yet assigned

Filed or Issued: November 8, 2000

Title A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING ONE OR MORE MULTIPOINT  
CONTROL UNITS AS ONE MULTIPOINT CONTROL UNIT

I hereby state that I am

- ☐ the owner of the small business concern identified below:  
☒ an official of the small business concern empowered to act on behalf of the concern identified below:

NAME OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN Accord Networks, Inc.

ADDRESS OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN 10 Martin Gehl Street, Box 3654, Petach-Tikva, Israel  
49130

I hereby state that the above identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 CFR Part 121 for purposes of paying reduced fees to the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Questions related to size standards for a small business concern may be directed to: Small Business Administration, Size Standards Staff, 409 Third Street, SW, Washington, DC 20416.

- ☒ the application filed herewith with title as listed above,  
☐ the application identified above.  
☐ the patent identified above.

If the rights held by the above identified small business concern are not exclusive, each individual, concern, or organization having rights in the invention must file separate statements as to their status as small entities, and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who would not qualify as an independent inventor under 37 CFR 1.9(c) if that person made the invention, or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d), or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e).

Each person, concern, or organization having any rights in the invention is listed below:

- ☒ no such person, concern, or organization exists.  
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Separate statements are required from each named person, concern or organization having rights to the invention stating their status as small entities. (37 CFR 1.27)

I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate. (37 CFR 1.28(b)).

NAME OF PERSON SIGNING 5161 GAUISH

TITLE OF PERSON IF OTHER THAN OWNER CTO

ADDRESS OF PERSON SIGNING 14 KISUFIM STR. TEL-AVIV ISRAEL

SIGNATURE [Signature] DATE OCT. 31, 2000